

NORTH CAROLINA - DISTRICT 3**Information based on Congressional Districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997**

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	SMALLEST	LARGEST	MEDIAN OF COUNTIES
Farms			
Number	9	1,224	277
Acreage	4,961	270,840	83,850
Average size (acres)	9	953	408
Median size (acres)	21	584	110
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	291,132	1,149,503	646,824
Machinery/equip (dollars)	48,341	217,457	97,953
Cropland (acres)			
Total	4,265	183,467	62,492
Harvested	3,769	160,230	55,114
Irrigated	3	8,702	701
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	836	746,449	66,933
(dollars avg. per farm)	92,923	698,891	329,965
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	28,171	215,010	69,628
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	0	22,247	1,864
Beef cows	0	6,771	495
Milk cows	0	104	0
Hogs and pigs	0	2,034,349	104,937
Sheep and lambs	0	354	52
Layers 13 wks or/older	0	353,295	180
Broilers and chicken (sold)	0	23,431,741	0
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	8,817	48,353	19,411
Corn, silage or green chop	N	N	0
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	0
Wheat	0	45,878	13,065
Barley	N	N	0
Oats	N	N	0
Rice	N	N	0

Sunflower seed	N	N	0
Cotton	0	42,202	5,708
Tobacco	0	16,976	3,450
Soybeans	3,516	68,166	25,899
Dry edible beans, excl limas	N	N	0
Potatoes, excl sweetpotatoes	N	N	0
Sugar beets for sugar	N	N	0
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	0
Peanuts for nuts	0	12,757	50
Hay-alfalfa	0	14,140	932

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Vegetables			
Number of farms	N	N	0
Acreage	N	N	0
Orchards			
Number of farms	N	N	0
Acreage	N	N	0

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-Withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture